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Big Sales.

The last of October, Swinebroad, The Real Estate Man of Lancaster, was kept busy holding auction sales. On Oct. 15th, he sold for Mrs. Geo. Backus, Mrs. Lynn Buster and Mrs. Wm. Geary, 865 acres of land in Wayne County adjoining the town of Monticello, to various parties in building lots and farms for an aggregate sum of \$94,504.83. On the 18th, he sold for Milo Simpson a tract of land 76 acres of unimproved land in Garrard County at an average of \$214.00 per acre. On the 21st he sold for R. W. Gwinn his farm of 335 acres in Mercer County to different parties at an average price of \$280.00 per acre; a portion of the farm with the improvements, about 243 acres, averaged \$301.00 per acre. On the 22nd, he held another sale in Garrard County and sold 140 acres for N. J. Gosney at \$275.00 per acre. Again, on the 24th, he sold at auction for J. L. Butler his farm of 190 acres in Lincoln County at \$150.00 per acre. On the 28th he sold for Allen Edelen 170 acres of land in Mercer County, in two tracts of 85 acres each at an average price of \$162.50 per acre. And on November 1st, for H. V. Bastin a brick residence and about four acres land just at the edge of the city limits of Lancaster, in Garrard County, for \$11750.00, and on the same day two building lots for Roy Schooler at \$1700.00 each. Total sales amounted to \$312,462.00. All of these sales were very successful and again demonstrated the fact that when it comes to selling land Swinebroad is in a class by himself. His experience in making subdivisions and how to sell farms and his judgment of the value of land make his services much sought after and he is one of the few real estate men who have realized that the real estate business is a profession and must be conducted so as to secure and hold the confidence of those with whom he deals. Swinebroad also believes in printer's ink and we judge that he spends more in advertising than any other real estate man in the business and is hereby able to give his clients the best of service.

Leg Broken.

Mrs. Elbert Nelson, who lives on Crocus creek, this county, fell and broke her right leg, above the ankle, Monday of last week. Dr. B. J. Bolin was the attending surgeon.

Mr. Geo. J. Hurt, of this county, who is in the Soldier's Home, Dayton, Ohio, was here last week, visiting his relatives and friends. He informed The News that there were 3,500 old soldiers in the home, nine hundred of that number being in the hospital at the present time. He further stated that the old veterans were well cared for by "Uncle Sam."

Rev. J. S. Ray, the evangelist for Russell Creek Association will begin a series of meetings at the Baptist church Friday evening, Nov. 14th, at 7:30 o'clock. The singers of the town are cordially invited to assist in the choir. Every body is invited to attend the services.

Mr. T. R. Stults, of this place, as was generally known, was the Republican candidate, without opposition, to represent Adair and Taylor in the lower House of the next General Assembly. Both counties are Republican, and Mr. Stults was complimented by a large vote.

In December, Mr. Morrow will be inaugurated Governor of Kentucky. He told the people that he would do a lot of "ousting" immediately after he was sworn in. The people have not long to wait for the time he fixed to clean up will be here in a few weeks.

Quite a number of misdemeanor cases were disposed of last week. A lot of civil business will come before the Judge this week.

Get your gun and dog. You can shoot birds, beginning next Saturday, the 13th.

Official Vote of Adair County, Election Nov. 4, 1919

PRECINCTS	DEMOCRAT										REPUBLICAN									
	James D. Black For Governor	W. H. Shanks Lieut. Governor	Met. S. Cahan Secretary of State	Frank E. Daugherty Attorney General	Henry M. Hoover For Treasurer	John W. Newnam Commissioner of Agriculture	L. E. Foster Super. Public Instruction	John A. Gresham Clerk of Court of Appeals	John W. Newnam Joint W. Newnam	John A. Gresham Clerk of Court of Appeals	James A. Wallace For Representative	John J. Craig Auditor Public Accounts	Chas. I. Dawson Attorney General	Frank A. Vaughan Secretary of State	St. Thomas Bland Lieut. Governor	Edwin P. Morrow For Governor	James A. Wallace For Representative	John J. Craig Auditor Public Accounts	Chas. I. Dawson Attorney General	Frank A. Vaughan Secretary of State
East Columbia	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138	138
West Columbia	141	133	132	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133
Milltown	102	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96
Gradyville	75	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Keltners	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19	19
Elroy	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133
Glenville	164	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156	156
Harmony	92	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91
White Oak	140	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133
Little Lake	68	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67
Royle	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133
Pelliston	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86
Cane Valley	143	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137
Edgport	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72
South Columbia	102	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96
Total	1618	1503	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501	1501

The Socialist received ten votes in the County.

The Prohibition Amendment to the Constitution also carried in the County by a big majority. The following is the vote:

For the Amendment	1,576
Against the Amendment	1,004
Majority for the Amendment	572

Run Over By an Automobile.

Last Thursday while Jim Frank Reynolds was walking in the public road, near the C. S. Harris' Bridge, Jim McQueary, who was driving an automobile, came dashing down the road. The machine ran over Mr. Reynolds and he was considerably bruised about the body and hands. We have not heard McQueary's story; do not know whether he blew his horn or whether he saw Mr. Reynolds. We hope that it was purely an accident, and that Mr. Reynolds will recover from his injuries in a few days. Since writing the above we learn from Luther Chapman, who was walking with Mr. Reynolds, and who says that McQueary did not signal, and that he did not know the car was behind them until a minute before it struck Reynolds, and that he barely escaped himself by jumping. He says McQueary did not offer to assist Mr. Reynolds, nor did he ask if he was hurt. Mr. Reynolds, in company with Mr. Chapman, walked slowly to John Neat's store. There he met with Dr. R. Y. Hindman, who conveyed him to his office, in an auto, and dressed his injuries.

This should be a warning to autoists

Death of an Old Lady.

Last Thursday night, Mrs. Polly Corbin, who lived a few miles from Columbia, on the Greensburg road, died in her ninetieth year of her age. She was the widow of Ambrose Corbin, who died a number of years ago. She was a kind old woman, and many relatives and friends attended the funeral and burial which took place on Friday.

Prof. Hill and Grimsley closed a second term in vocal music Nov. 3rd, at Bliss, which gave good satisfaction having a good interest from beginning to the close. Prof. Grimsley had a class organ and guitar, during which made good progress. On the last night Prof. Grimsley organized the class into a singing society to meet on Sunday evening 8:30. Officers elected were as follows: Marcus Hood, chairman; Woodie Paxton, assistant chairman; Ray Claycomb, Secretary; Clyde Patterson, assistant Secretary. We are expecting great good to be developed from it. We invite those interested to come assuring them a cordial welcome.

From an item elsewhere in this issue, it will be seen that Mr. J. B. Swinebroad, of Lancaster, is a very successful real estate man. He has sold recently more farms than any other man in the business in Kentucky. He is strictly reliable and is a first class business man who gets the crowds by using printer's ink. We appreciate the business he has given this office.

The Interchurch world movement, was set going for Adair county last Thursday, by effecting a county organization and arranging for a survey at an early date.

Interchurch Movement.

The Interchurch World Movement of North America, an agency of the Protestant denominations of this country for the gathering of statistics and information relative to the religious and social conditions existing in every county in the entire country, has undertaken a survey of Adair county, with the aid of the various churches of this community.

The movement does not aim at any church union or federation nor does it touch upon church creeds or affect church doctrines. It is simply an agency for securing information which may be used to the advantage of every church in the county in forwarding its work of bringing the gospel to every man, woman and child in the limits of the county. The movement itself was called into being by the church boards of the nation for this work, and has the endorsement of practically every Protestant denomination.

The pastors and church leaders will secure this information. As rapidly as possible, a county council, consisting of representatives from every denomination in the county, will be organized and in action.

After the necessary data is secured, it will be sent to the headquarters of the movement in New York, where a highly trained corps of experts will put the material into proper shape, drawing graphic maps of the county which will show the location of all churches, their spheres of influence, the place of residence of the various pastors in relation to the field of their service, the roads, railroads and other means of communication by which the people can reach their churches, and similar information which will tell at a glance just how thoroughly the county is covered by religious influence and the areas that are left without such influence and are in need of intensive work.

As soon as this is done, the maps and statistics will be returned here and placed in the hands of the denominational boards, county council and the various churches to do with as seems best to them. It will probably reveal conditions which the churches never fully realized existed. It will probably show how the situation can be met in a way that never before occurred to those who have been forwarding the religious work of the community. But whatever program is drawn up, will be done entirely by the churches of this county, without any dictation from the Interchurch World Movement or any outside influence, although the movement will still stand ready to render any assistance to the local churches.

A community Survey of the county will be taken at the same time, giving the salient community centers with valuable information of interest to every body. The people are earnestly requested to assist all the workers in this survey.

The survey in this county will be pushed to an early conclusion, and any who desire information regarding

the work which is being undertaken can obtain it by communicating with:

B. T. Watson, Chairman, or
Mrs. A. L. Eubanks, Sec'y.

Beautiful Dinner.

On Tuesday evening, Nov. 4th, Mrs. A. D. Patterson and Mrs. W. A. Coffey, two of Columbia's most popular matrons, were hostesses at a beautifully appointed six o'clock dinner at the attractive home of Mrs. Patterson, on Bomar Heights. The parlors were decorated with chrysanthemums. In the dining room three tables were beautifully decorated with cut glass baskets filled with Killarney roses and ferns. The place cards were very artistic. The color scheme, pink and green, was carried throughout the delicious six course dinner. At each plate a tiny envelope was found containing a fitting joke. At the close of the dinner the guests were requested to read the enclosed and they were the cause of much merriment. The invitations and acceptances were in rhyme and they were also read. A very happy evening was enjoyed by all and Mrs. Coffey and Mrs. Patterson are to be congratulated not only on their culinary art but also on the art of knowing how to entertain. The following were present: Mesdames Will Patterson, Eros Barger, John Lee Walker, Geo. Staples, O. P. Miller, S. P. Miller, Preston Miller, Daisy Hamlett, David Jones, Fred Hill, Allen Walker, C. M. Russell, Joe Patterson, Gordon Montgomery, George Stults and Mrs. Presley Clark, of Macon, Ga.; Misses Minnie Triplett and Sallie Baker.

Change in Location.

Several weeks ago we announced that a new Bank would open soon at Royle, Casey Creek. At the time we made the statement we were correct, but a short time ago the chosen directors concluded to change the location to Kniffey, four miles from Royle, and the banking house is now being erected at that point. The reason for the change, so we have been informed, is that Royle already has a bank, and in the judgment of the directors, one would pay better at Kniffey than two would pay at Royle. This bank will start as soon as the banking house is completed and the fixtures arrive.

Rich Thomas, who it is said lives in Cumberland county, passed through this county some months ago, and while here he sold some whisky. He was indicted at the last term of court, and the case was tried last Friday. He was charged with selling in local option territory. Thomas was on bond, and the jury fined him one hundred dollars and gave him twenty-five days in jail.

Elmer Richards, of Russell county, charged with forging checks in Adair county, was brought before Judge Carter last Friday for trial. He entered a plea of guilty and the jury gave him four years in the penitentiary. There were two counts.

An Enjoyable Meeting.

Last Friday night additional chairs had to be placed in Columbia Lodge, No. 96, F. & A. M., so large was the number of Masons in attendance. The occasion of the outpouring of the large number was, that the Master Mason's degree was to be conferred, upon Bro J. C. Strange. The dramatic part of the degree was conferred by Bro W. A. Garnett, Master of Glensfork Lodge, and a team he selected from his lodge. The work was well done, and the visiting members received the thanks of Columbia Lodge, No. 96. Besides the delegation from Glensfork Lodge, a number of other lodges were represented. At the close refreshments were served, and Bro H. K. Walkup, who delivered the lecture on the carpet rendered very impressively the Master Mason's oath.

Strayed.

One black horse mule about 15 hands. One bay horse mule about 4 months old. Phone Luther Bell, Nell, Ky.

Seriously Hurt.

Last Friday morning Mr. W. R. Bradshaw, who lives near Bliss, met with a very serious accident. He was hauling fodder, and in some way he lost his balance and fell from his wagon. His right hip was dislocated and he was otherwise injured. Dr. L. C. Nell reduced the fracture. Mr. Bradshaw suffered greatly, but Saturday he was resting easy.

Miss Mabel Sallee and Paul Soucey were united in marriage in Gilman, Tuesday evening, September 30th. They left on a honeymoon trip for Grand Isle, Maine, going by way of Canada to visit the groom's parents. They will make their home in Irwin, Ill., where Mr. Soucey has a fine position. Mrs. Soucey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Sallee and has been employed for some time as night operator at the telephone office here. Her many friends wish her much happiness in her new home.—Onarga Leader and Review.

Not Too Late.

No it is not too late to buy a hat. Come to Gadberr. I have plenty of hats and beautiful trimmings at the very lowest price.

Mrs. R. W. Hurt.

In a very short time the show windows of the various stores will be adorned with articles suitable for Christmas presents.

President Wilson has issued his proclamation, naming Thursday, November 27th as Thanksgiving Day.

Columbia Chapter, No 7 will meet next Friday. There will be work in the Mark Master's degree.

J. B. Barbee sold his farm, lying near the Stanford place, last week, to Felix McKinley for \$6,100.

Birthday Dinner.

The pretty home of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Russell was the scene of a delightful dinner and a jolly good time Wednesday evening, Nov. 5th. The dinner was given in honor of Mrs. Russell's birthday anniversary. The following ladies were present: Mesdames George Stults, Gordon Montgomery, Joe Patterson, A. D. Patterson, George Staples, W. A. Coffey, Daisy Hamlett and Miss Minnie Triplett. The dinner was prepared by the guests as a surprise to Mrs. Russell and her house guest, Mrs. Presley Clark, but when they arrived all had been made ready for them. The table was beautifully decorated with chrysanthemum. Dr. Russell did justice to the dinner, but was confined to his room the next day. Every one enjoyed the evening and we trust that our charming hostess may live to celebrate many more birthdays.

For Sale.

I have two Aberdeen Angus male calves, 6 and 7 months old, eligible to register.

3-2t W. E. Todd, Columbia, Ky.

A Quiet Marriage.

Last Saturday evening, about 6 o'clock, Mrs. Elnor Winfrey, who was the widow of W. T. Winfrey, a son of Dr. F. H. Winfrey, and Mr. George Parrish, of Amandaville, Cumberland county, were quietly married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Young, this city. The ceremony was performed by Eld. Z. T. Williams, in the presence of a few special friends. The bride has been living here for several months, and we are informed that the couple will continue to reside in Columbia.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. Ed Young, a niece of Mr. J. H. Young, this place. The groom is a member of the well-known Parrish family, of Cumberland county. Both the bride and groom have many friends, who will be glad to learn of their union.

Public Sale.

On Saturday, November 22, 1919. I will sell to the highest bidder, on my farm, known as the C. S. Harris property, the following:

Two good mules.
One good five year old cow
Twenty head of sheep.
Farming tools machinery
Household and Kitchen Furniture.
A lot of fodder.
Many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale will begin at 9: A. M.
John D. Turner.
B. G. Redmon, Auctioneer.

Birthday Celebration.

Last Saturday was the 61st birthday of Mrs. H. C. Fesse, this place, the event was duly celebrated, all her children and grandchildren being present. A bountiful dinner was spread, and Mrs. Fesse received a number of presents. Besides the home folks, there were present Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fesse and children, Mr. W. S. Fesse and wife, all of Somerset. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wilson and children, Taylor county. Those living out of town returned to their homes Sunday afternoon and Monday morning.

Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Todd, of this place, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret, to Mr. Walter Thomas Fleeceon which occurred at Wichita Falls, Texas, on Tuesday, the 4th day of this month.

The plans of the couple are not known at this writing. The bride is expected to visit her parents here soon. The groom is in the service of his country, and will not be discharged until June.

A great many men who were opposed to the amendment voted "Yes," believing that they were voting against it.